1 2 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 3 DISTRICT OF NEVADA 4 5 KENDALL HAUER, Plaintiff, Case No. 2:15-cv-02091-JAD-GWF 6 7 **ORDER** VS. 8 GEICO INSURANCE AGENCY, INC., 9 Defendant. 10 11 This matter is before the Court on Defendant's Motion for Protective Order (ECF No. 13), filed on May 5, 2016. Also before the Court are Defendant's Motion for Rule 35 Examination (ECF 12 No. 16) and Motion to Extend Expert Deadlines (ECF No. 17), filed on May 10, 2016. 13 14 The meet and confer requirements in Rule 37(a)(1) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 15 and Local Rule ("LR") 26-7(b) require the moving party to confer or attempt to confer in person, or at least by telephone, with the opposing party in a good faith effort to resolve the discovery dispute prior 16 17 to filing a motion to compel. Shuffle Master v. Progressive Games, 170 F.R.D. 166, 171 (D. Nev. 1996); Walker v. North Las Vegas Police Depart., 2016 WL 427063, *2 (D. Nev. Feb. 3, 2016). 18 19 Defendant's Motion to Compel a Rule 35 Examination and Motion to Extend Expert Deadlines were filed without any apparent effort to meet and confer with Plaintiff in an attempt to resolve the 20 21 disputes. Defendant's Motion for Protective Order shows that the parties have communicated via email regarding the dispute, but no in-person or telephonic communications were made. Because 22 23 Defendant's motions fail to show that it complied with the meet and confer requirements prior to 24 filing the motion, 25 . . . 26 27 28

1	IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the hearing set for Monday, June 20, 2016 is VACATED.
2	The parties are instructed to hold the requisite meet and confer to attempt to resolve the issues
3	discussed in Defendant's motions. If the parties are unable to come to a resolution, Defendant may
4	file a supplement with the Court and the Court will place these matters back on calendar.
5	DATED this 7th day of June, 2016.
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